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## DRINKING OF CARBOLIC ACID RESULTS IN DEATH FRIDAY

Steel Employee of Monessen Dies by Own Hand In Beaver County

THOUGHT TO BE ACCIDENTAL

Wife and Nine Children Survive—Known as Staunch and Ambitious Workman of Excellent Practices—Acid Used as Medicine For Stomach

Carl T. Gropp, aged 44 years and an employe of the Pittsburg Steel company at Monessen is dead at his home in Beaver as the result of swallowing a solution of carbolic acid. Two hours after the swallowing of the acid Gropp was dead. He is survived by a wife and nine children.

Gropp worked in the steel mills at Monessen while his wife and family lived on a farm in Big Beaver township. At frequent intervals he would visit at his home and it was during one of his visits that his death occurred. It is difficult to ascertain whether death was due to suicide or was brought about through a mistake.

The solution had been used in the treatment of cattle on the farm and was placed among a number of other bottles filled with non-poisonous contents. Gropp had been out and drank the deadly liquid upon his return to the house without consulting anyone. At Monessen he resided at Hotel Devrey and was known for his good habits. He had been on a visit with his family since Wednesday.

At Monessen he worked in the rod department of the steel mills and was seemingly an ambitious and steady employe. Never on any occasion prior to his death had Gropp been noticed to possess any symptoms of a great dissatisfaction that would lead to the act he committed, should the act be genuine suicide.

Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made. The coroner of Beaver county will soon hold inquest over the remains of the dead man in an endeavor to ascertain whether suicide was or was not the cause of death. It is generally thought by all those who were acquainted with the dead man that the act was unintentional and accidental.

### Notice.

Fallowfield school board will receive sealed bids for delivering coal to 8 school houses, also bids for cleaning 8 houses and closets. Bids to be in by July 3rd, 1915, when board will meet to let contract. Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids. By order of the board.

H. E. Rider, President.  
Wesley Young, Secretary.  
Spears, R. D. No. 1, Pa.

**COYLE THEATRE**

MONDAY (FOX)

Betty Nansen in

"A Woman's Resurrection"

TUESDAY (PARAMOUNT)

America's Sweetheart

"Little Mary Pickford"

In "Fanchon The Cricket"

WEDNESDAY

"The Avengeing Conscience."

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION TO BE ADMINISTERED TO CLASS

Eighty Boys and Girls to Receive First Holy Communion at Morning Service—Special Music.

Sunday morning at the 9 o'clock high mass at St. Jerome's Catholic church a class of eighty boys and girls will receive their First Holy Communion. A special program has been arranged with special music and an appropriate sermon by the pastor. The class this year is one of the largest that has ever received the rite.

## CONDITION OF MISS JOSEPHINE HENRY REMAINS UNCHANGED

The condition of Miss Josephine Henry, who attempted suicide by swallowing a large quantity of bichloride of mercury in her room at the Nease Hotel, Washington on Wednesday evening remains the same. The young lady is in a serious condition in the Washington hospital and practically no hope is entertained for her recovery.

## GOV. BRUMBAUGH IN MONONGAHELA

Reunion of Fighting Tenth Veterans To Be An Elaborate Event

## STATE NOTABLES ARE LISTED

Thursday, August 26 will be a big day in Monongahela. On this day the veterans of the Fighting Tenth, a famous United States regiment that warred in the Spanish-American conflict will hold its reunion in that city.

Many elaborate preparations will be made for the event. At the same time the new United States armory at Monongahela will be formally dedicated along with the dedication of the Soldiers' Memorial monument at the same place.

Governor Martin G. Brumbaugh, an important factor in the reunion, will be present at Monongahela during the day and will speak at the dedication. Judges McIlvaine and Irwin of Washington county will also be present. The county commissioners and many other county notables will be enumerated among the list of those present.

Many famous military men from all over the state will attend, Governor Brumbaugh being the chairman of the Fighting Tenth regimental veterans. Other features will be in Monongahela during the day and evening.

Awning Striped Voiles.

New lot of 40-inch voiles just received 25c value. Remnant Sale price 19c. worth 25c. Kirk and Clark

## FIFTEEN HUNDRED CHILDREN ARE TALLIED AS THEY ATTEND PUBLIC PLAYGROUNDS

Monessen's Venture in Establishment of Playgrounds Proves Decidedly Successful—Ball Team to be Organized Presently

It is estimated that fully 1,500 children are attending the four playgrounds in Monessen this summer, and from all indications this promises to be the greatest season the town has ever had with this venture. The children have taken a great interest, not only in the various amusements, but in their work and by the end of the season they will have many specimens of their handiwork for display.

Four instructors are employed at the playgrounds, Andrew White at the Electric park grounds, Miss Carrie Shutterly at the Third ward, Miss Blanche Brighwell at the McKinley grounds and Miss Anna Currie at the Linder avenue grounds. The younger children have taken

advantage of the grounds in the hill district and under the supervision of competent teachers are learning to sew, weave and do other useful things after they enjoy themselves on the swings, slides or sandboxes. These grounds will be open for ten weeks, the closing date having been set for two weeks before the opening of the fall school term.

At the Electric park grounds many new improvements have been made, or are under construction and include two fine tennis courts for girls and ladies exclusively, traveling bars, 40 feet in length, climbing ropes and poles and the giant slide. Mr. White is now organizing a baseball league among the boys who attend the different playgrounds.

## THIEF ATTEMPTS TO SELL HORSE STOLEN FROM LIVERYMAN

Albert Crise, claiming to hail from West Newton, was arrested today by Constable Elmer Jericho of Monongahela charged with being drunk and disorderly and reckless driving on the streets. He told several stories about a horse he had in his possession and he will be given a hearing this evening. Crise claims he owns the rig, but when questioned told several conflicting stories which are being investigated.

It has since been learned that Crise stole the horse and buggy from a liveryman in West Newton. He came to Donora where he traded horses, got a little money in the deal and proceeded to get drunk which proved his undoing. Alderman Elwood received word at 2:30 o'clock that the liveryman and an officer were on their way to be present at the hearing.

## ENTIRE PICKFORD FAMILY IN "FANCHON THE CRICKET"

"Fanchon the Cricket," the latest production of the Famous Players Film Co., on the Paramount Program attaches an unusual interest because of the fact that it does not only present Mary Pickford, the idol of the screen in the title role, but that the supporting cast also includes Lottie and Jack Pickford, sister and brother of the popular star.

This is the first time since the Pickfords have been appearing on the screen that all three have been together in a single subject and the production, therefore possesses a unique interest, aside from its great dramatic strength and the charm of "Little Mary's" exquisite portrayal of the title character.

Written by Georges Sand, one of the greatest novelists in the history of French literature, "Fanchon the Cricket" has lived for generations as one of the most human dramas ever conceived and it is fair to assume that its interpretation on the screen by Mary Pickford and the superb cast which surrounds her, will forever immortalize this charming story.

The subject will be the main attraction at the Coyle Theatre, Tuesday June 29.

## FUNERAL SERVICE OF GEORGE D. MASTERS TO BE HELD SUNDAY

Funeral services over the remains of George D. Masters will be held Sunday at 1 o'clock at the home of Jasper Rockwell at North Charleroi. The ministerial rites will be in charge of Elder J. D. Carlisle. Interment will be made in the Fayette City cemetery.

Mr. Masters died at his home in North Charleroi at 1 o'clock in the afternoon Thursday. He was a well and favorably known resident of the section. He was 67 years of age, having been born at Fayette City, November 2, 1847.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Myria Masters of North Charleroi; his wife of the same place; one daughter, Mrs. Ida Tobin of Canton, Ohio and one son Harry Masters of Pittsburg.

## AFTER LONG ABSENCE COUPLE RETURN TO VISIT IN VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Wherry of Ogden Utah, arrived Friday to spend some time with Dr. and Mrs. H. R. Frye and others in Beallsville after an absence of 22 years. Mr. Wherry who is a son of the late James Wherry of the Scenery Hill section is visiting the scenes of his childhood the fourth time in the last half century. Until about 12 years ago he had resided at Lawrence, Kansas. He was born and brought up in the Pigeon Creek valley and is a brother of Ira and John Wherry of Scenery Hill. Mrs. Wherry's father was the late Henry Weaver a brother of the late Leonard Weaver of Beallsville. Mr. Wherry has the distinction of having assisted in the building of hospitals during the Civil war for the wounded soldiers.

### Notice.

The name of the party who took the sulkey from the hall at 615 Fallowfield avenue on Thursday is known. If it is returned no questions will be asked. Otherwise suit will probably result.

9-12p  
traction at the Coyle Theatre, Tuesday June 29.

## PITTSBURG ORDER INDICATES PROSPERITY IN THE VALLEY

MONESSEN COUPLE ARE MARRIED AT BRIDE'S HOME

Clark-Snyder Nuptials Performed at Home of Bride in Monessen—Friends Present.

A quiet home wedding was solemnized Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Snyder of Knox avenue, Monessen, when their daughter, Miss Margaret H. Snyder was united in marriage to David Randolph Clark. Rev. A. H. Davies of the Methodist church officiated and only the immediate friends of the family were present. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served by Mrs. Snyder. The young couple left on an extended trip that will take in Buffalo, Niagara Falls and New York. They will return to Monessen and be at home to their friends at 108 Knox avenue, Monessen.

The bride has a host of friends in the section and is well known, having clerked for several years at the Neystore. The groom enjoys a large acquaintance in the valley and is employed as a railroad man.

## ELOPEMENT ENDS IN FINAL ARREST

Elopers Arrive in Canton, O., to Find Themselves Arrested

## COURTSHIP A SECRET ONE

Endowed with a romantic turn of mind led Wilbur Hartley, son of Constable and Mrs. D. R. Hartley, of Clover Hill and Luella Willocks, the seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Willocks, well known farmers of the same place to venture an elopement. "one like you read about."

The elopers were very fond of each other and held interviews quite frequently despite the fact that their parents did not allow "such a thing." Many novel means were pursued by Young Hartley and Miss Luella to enjoy each others company, the elopement being the ultimate climax of the romantic episode.

When the news of the "French leaving" became known Constable Hartley and Farmer Willocks were angry beyond expression and joined were they in an endeavor to head off the elopers before they were married. They ascertained that Canton, Ohio, was the destination and they telegraphed to the police of this city admonishing them to arrest the couple upon their arrival in the city. This worked and the romantic youngsters were shocked when a kindly disposed Canton blue-coat gently placed them under arrest and with a blue-coated escort returned them uninjured to their respective homes in the quiet and rural precincts of

Pittsburg Concern Secures Half-Million Steel Contract for Chicago Depot

## VALLEY TO PRODUCE PRODUCT

Will Brighten Business in General Throughout the Monongahela Valley—Pittsburg Product Cheaper Than Chicago Product.

Another indication of the brightening up of business in this section was the landing of a huge job by the Thompson-Starratt company of Pittsburg for more than a half-million's dollars' worth of structural steel to be used in the construction of the new Polk street freight terminal for the Pennsylvania company in Chicago.

This will brighten things up along the Monongahela valley in general for the huge order will undoubtedly be filled through the various steel plants in different sections of the valley in contracts re-let to the smaller concerns throughout the valley.

At all times the brightening of the steel trade means the illumination of the coal trade. Already the coal trade in the section has received a drastic impetus, the announcement being made that the Marianna mines have started in full employing from 200 to 300 men working full time each day.

In the Connellsville coke regions many hundreds coke ovens have been placed in operation since early spring and all things bids fair that the old time prosperity will soon be in prevalence once more. The products from the valley can be delivered by the Pittsburg jobbers to the consumers in Chicago at a less figure than can the Chicago manufacturer sell the product in his own city.

Each order from the Pittsburg jobber means that the product will have to be manufactured at the various plants in Charleroi, Monessen, Donora, Monongahela and other valley points.

## ROBBERS IN RED HILL DISTRICT SECURE LOOT

Several houses were raided at Red Hill by what appears to have been a well organized robber band. The houses were entered shortly after midnight and between four and five hundred dollars were stolen. Policeman S. J. Ansl of California was notified and started a search, but the get-away was complete. He believes that the band assembled in a hollow, after the robbery had been committed, for he intercepted signals, and nearly caught them at their rendezvous.

House holders of the Pike Run Valley section are putting in anxious nights, fearing another depredation. Officials are working on the case but have little to go on. It is evident however that some one well acquainted with the families that suffered had a hand in the business for in every instance the robbers simply took all the money in the house and disturbed nothing else.

Clover Hill: Now both are in a rather pessimistic mood over the failure of their matrimonial venture.

J. E. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Bush, Cashier

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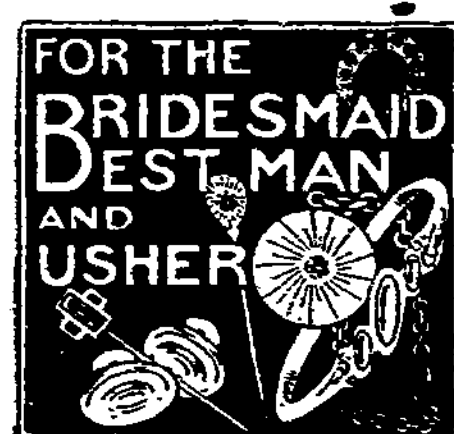
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## A BETTER OUTLOOK FOR COAL.

In the House of Commons on Wed-  
nesday announcement was made that  
David Alfred Thomas, managing  
director of the great colliery com-  
panies in South Wales and known  
as the "British Coal King," had been  
appointed personal representative of  
the government to assist in looking  
after purchase of supplies in the  
United States and Canada, says the  
Gazette Times.

Before the war Great Britain was  
supreme in the world's coal trade.  
Since the war, however, it has been  
compelled to prohibit exports of coal  
even to neutral countries. Although  
there were only five months of active  
hostilities in 1914 the output of  
British coal last year decreased more  
than 21,700,000 tons. The decrease  
in the first half of 1915 ending with  
this month must have been propor-  
tionately greater because resulting  
in Great Britain has depleted mine  
labor. English exports to neutral  
and belligerent countries during the  
first four months of 1915 were less  
than 15,000,000 tons compared with  
22,644,000 tons in the same time last  
year. Of course interruption of  
industrial activities in Europe has  
had something to do with this  
falling off but the fact of the English  
embargo on exports is evidence that  
England is husbanding supplies for  
her own use.

This week it was announced that  
France was making inquiries for more  
than 10,000,000 tons of United States  
coal and Italy is said to be negotiat-  
ing large contracts in this country.  
The report of our Department of  
Commerce, just received from Wash-  
ington, shows that in April our ex-  
ports of coal amounted to 1,565,195  
tons. The district of which Pittsburgh is  
tons. an increase of nearly 400,000  
tons over the same month last year.  
the financial and commercial center  
embraces the largest area of the  
highest grade fuel in the United States.  
The coal trade has been slower  
to revive from last year's depression  
than any other industry, but with this  
prospective foreign demand, taken in  
connection with the increased require-  
ments of expanding business at home,  
the outlook is more encouraging for  
this basic industry than at any time  
in more than a year.

## GOOD WATER.

Clear, sparkling water is not al-  
ways pure water. A refreshing  
draught from "the old oaken bucket"  
may be the beginning of a long and  
possibly fatal illness from typhoid  
fever, dysentery, cholera or other dis-  
ease.

The subject of pure water supplies  
for drinking and cooking purposes is  
discussed widely.

The germs of the so called water-  
borne diseases come from the bodies  
of persons afflicted with those dis-  
eases. They do not live long outside  
the body and do not originate sponta-  
neously in nature. A few diseases  
are communicated from animals to  
man, but for the most part the germs  
which get into drinking water and  
produce disease come only from human  
beings. If we keep the waste prod-  
ucts from the bodies of human be-  
ings and animals away from our water  
supplies, we keep the water free  
from disease germs.

The usual source of farm disease  
germs are wells, springs and cisterns.  
Running streams are seldom free from  
dangerous pollution that without pur-  
ification they cannot often be consid-  
ered safe from domestic use.

The most common form of supply  
is the shallow well, reaching into a

layer of earth saturated with water.  
Few of these are fed by flowing  
streams, except in limestone forma-  
tions, and they are really little more  
than reservoirs for "surface water."  
Since they drain the surface for a  
radius of sometimes several hundred  
feet, their location with reference to  
creeks, out-houses and stock pens is  
a matter of prime importance. Other  
possible sources of pollution are a  
leaky or loose well casing, a defect-  
ive curb, or a cover that is not water-  
tight. The best methods of construct-  
ing such wells and protecting their  
contents are set forth in a bulletin  
of the Public Health Service.

Artesian wells, driven wells, cist-  
erns and natural springs are also dis-  
cussed in this publication, and safe-  
guards against pollution prescribed.  
It should be borne in mind also that  
once a safe supply is obtained, its  
purity is insured only by the contin-  
ued observance of the principles of  
sanitary cleanliness. These are neither  
difficult nor expensive.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

One night an esteemed citizen was  
enjoying his after-dinner smoke and  
evening paper when little Willie  
rambled into his zone wearing a pet-  
plexed expression.

"Papa," said he, "why is it that  
people of Africa are black?"

"Because, my boy," was the prompt  
rejoinder of the old man, "they are  
always in the sun."

"Um, I see," thoughtfully com-  
mented Willie and then continued,  
"Papa, why do people hang clothes  
out on the line?"

"So that the sun will bleach them  
white, of course," answered father.

"Then, papa," persisted Willie, his  
look of perplexity getting deeper,  
"why is it?"

"Cut out the talk," broke in father.  
"Can't you see that I am busy?"

Catherine Brown, a washerwoman,  
hanged herself with a piece of  
clothes line on a nail in her bedroom  
and at the inquest the following  
poetry transcribed by her on a piece  
of brown paper used for wrapping  
sugar was read to the jury:

Here lies a poor woman who always  
was tired.

She lived in a house where help was  
not hired.

Her last words on earth were.

"Dear friends, I am going  
Where washing ain't done, nor  
Sweeping, nor sewing.

But everything there is exact to my  
wishes.

For where they don't eat, there's no  
washing of dishes.

I'll be where loud anthems will always  
be ringing,

But having no voice, I'll be clear of  
the singing

Don't mourn for me now, don't  
mourn for me never;

I'm going to do nothing forever and  
ever."

The jury returned a verdict of  
"Suicide during temporary insanity."

## ADVICE FOR THE NERVES

Well to Turn Habit of Overstrenuous-  
ness Into Some Really Profit-  
able Channel.

Are you strenuous? Do you go in  
for things for all they are worth? If  
you are an American-born woman I  
know the answer. You pitch head-  
long into club life, art, society, or  
some other pursuit because your  
nerves are ragged American nerves  
that never stop sending out impulses  
from dawn to dark.

There is too much pent-up vitality  
in all of us, and yet it is better for  
your everlasting beauty and poise that  
you expend it with discretion over a  
number of activities rather than exert  
it over one that may be a mere fancy.

I realize that this is a day of spe-  
cialization, and to be a success one  
must adhere to one thing, but vitality  
is both physical and mental, and the  
first must not be neglected or the sec-  
ond will suffer. Regular walks in the  
open country and daily exercises  
would give her the perfect equilib-  
rium and nerve control which she and  
her work both need.

Have you ever noticed what a lot of  
useless things we do when our nerves  
are on the ragged edge? When they  
are rested and well you keep calm, you  
enjoy life and accomplish things with-  
out leaving lines of wear on the face.

If you must be strenuous in the pur-  
suit of some object, expend a good  
amount of daily enthusiasm on phys-  
ical exercise. The benefits will show  
in your looks and health and the per-  
fection of your work.—Pittsburgh Dis-  
patch.

## Bits of Byplay

By Luke McLuke

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Enquirer

Paw Knows Everything.

Willie—Paw, are there any self made  
men?  
Paw—Well, there's Dr. Mary Walk-  
er, my son.

On the Job.

And now we'll hear from Louchard Pete.  
"To players he's a terror;  
He plays a ball in a grand stand seat  
And never makes an error."

## Free Advice.

"Say, doc," said the friend who was  
seeking free advice, "I wonder why I  
am getting bald. Just take a look at  
my head."  
"The reason is very apparent," re-  
plied the doctor after taking a look.  
"Your hair is falling out."

## The Trouble.

A man will scheme up some great stunt  
To get run in a walk.  
And then he can't go to the front  
Because he stops to talk.

## Example.

"The wise guy sets himself up as an  
example," remarked the old fogey.  
"I know he does," replied the grinch.  
"But I can't figure out where he  
amounts to anything."

## A Model.

Consider the umbrella, son.  
It never whines or frowns.  
Although its life is one long run  
Of weary ups and downs.

## Here He Is.

The night watchman at the theater  
was asleep in the rear of the building.  
The heavy smoke roused him, and he  
escaped with difficulty.—Exchange.

## Huhl!

"The chauffeur and the gossip are  
A lot alike," said Mr. Brown.  
"They are a lot alike because  
They're always running people down."

## Names Is Names.

E. Z. Shaver runs a barber shop in  
Indianapolis, Ind.

## Welcome!

Dear Luke: You are busy, I know.  
But take time to admit Ima Remnant  
of this city. Being only seventeen years  
old and pretty, she is not on the bar-  
gain counter yet.—Mrs. C. E. O. Mar-  
tins Ferry, O.

## Things to Worry About.

It has been estimated that 84,300,000  
cubic miles of the average igneous  
rock would yield on decomposition all  
the sodium of the ocean and the sedi-  
mentary rocks. The volume of the  
sandstones would be approximately  
15 per cent of this quantity, or 12,645,  
000 cubic miles. If the sandstones con-  
tain an average pore space of 20 per  
cent, or 2,529,000 cubic miles, and all  
of it was once filled with sea water,  
representing 118,730,000,000,000 metric  
tons of sodium, and chemical erosion  
began at the rate assigned to the riv-  
ers—namely, 158,357,000 tons of so-  
dium annually—the entire accumula-  
tion would be removed in about 750,  
000 years.—United States Geological  
Survey Bulletin.

## Our Daily Special.

One-half the world saves the other  
half from having to work for a living.

## Luke McLuke Says:

The old fashioned girl whose com-  
plexion tasted like peaches and cream  
now has a daughter whose complexion  
tastes like kalsomine.

One good item to paste in your hat is  
that when the patrol wagon gets you to  
headquarters your good intentions are  
not going to keep the cell door from  
slamming after you have been pushed  
behind it.

As far as we are concerned, the wo-  
men are not entitled to a vote as long  
as they wear shoes with heels longer  
than the toes.

It is hard to change the shape of your  
nose. But you can always change the  
color of it without much trouble.

The millennium will have arrived  
when a man sues his wife for divorce  
because she won't go to church with  
him on Sunday.

When a woman buys a pair of new  
shoes her pride knocks out her corns in  
the first round.

And a girl whose shoes are crippling  
her so she can't stand up will always  
smile and tell you that they are a mile  
too long for her.

You could give some women \$100 a  
week to dress on and they would al-  
ways look as if everything they are  
wearing came from the ten cent store.

After a man runs into three or four  
gals he never again wonders why he  
ever said mean things about men who  
are cronches.

A man never realizes how much fur-  
niture he owns until he gets home  
about 3 a. m. and falls over most of it  
when he is trying to sneak up to bed  
without waking his wife.

Ants and bees taste good at a fishing  
camp. But if there are any flies in the  
dining room when you are eating at  
home you get sore all over.

When she begins to notice that he  
sucks her coffee when he is drinking it  
you can lay \$500,000,000 to a filney that  
the honeymoon has lost out.

A man may not be able to earn more  
than \$12 a week. But that doesn't keep  
him from bragging about his ancestors.

When a young man is sowing his  
wild oats he never stops to think that  
his old daddy will have to pay for the  
harvesting.

## SUNDAY SERVICES AMONG CHURCHES

**Lutheran.**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Holy Com-  
munion administered at 11 o'clock and  
also at 7:30. Luther league at 6:45.  
Subject: "History of Our Own Con-  
gregation." Leader, Ruth Heuple.  
Vesper services at 7:00, subject of  
sermon: "A Steel Frame Young  
Man." Holy Communion will be con-  
tinued at this service. C. P. Bastian,  
pastor.

**Washington Avenue Presbyterian**  
Sabbath school at 9:45. Preaching  
at 11, sermon, "The Shortest Road to  
the Throne." Jr. C. E. at 2:30, lead-  
er, Glen Allen. Sr. C. E. at 7, topic,  
"Song and Its Meaning," led by the  
music committee. Preaching at 8,  
sermon: "Some Guide Posts of Life's  
Journey." Strangers and those with-  
out a church home are cordially in-  
vited to worship with us. Rev. John  
R. Burson, pastor.

**Baptist.**  
Bible school 9:45. A. G. Lewis,  
superintendent. Worship and ser-  
mon at 11. Young people's meeting  
at 6:30. Evening worship at 7:30. A  
young man from the Baptist Brother-  
hood of Pittsburg will supply the  
pulpit morning and evening. W. G.  
Carl, minister.

**Episcopal.**  
St. Mary's church, Lookout avenue  
and Sixth street. Services for Fourth  
Sunday after Trinity as follows:  
School, 9:45. morning prayer with  
sermon at 11. Evening prayer with  
sermon at 7:30. Monthly meeting of  
the Ladies Auxiliary Thursday at  
2:30 and of the Altar Guild Thurs-  
day at 7:30.

**First Christian.**  
Bible school at 9:45. "The Duty  
Class" meets at the Majestic theatre.  
Lord's supper and preaching at 10:50.  
Subject, "The Efficacy of Prayer."  
Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30. Subject,  
"Song and Its Meaning." Evening  
worship at 7:30. Subject, "Christian  
Union." This is the 11th sermon of  
the series of 12 on the New Testa-  
ment church. Wednesday prayer  
meeting at 7:30. City organization  
at 8:30. Thursday weekly seminary  
classes 2:30, 3:30, 6:30, 8:45. All  
strangers to our city and those with-  
out a church home are cordially in-  
vited to attend the services of our  
downtown church. Rev. E. N. Duty,  
pastor.

**First Presbyterian.**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Morning  
worship at 11. Subject of the ser-  
mon, "Man's Attitude Toward His  
Fellowman." Young people's meet-  
ing at 6:30. Subject, "Song and its  
Meaning." Evening worship at 7:30.  
Subject, "The Offering of Isaac." The  
Ladies Aid society will meet in the  
church Thursday at 2:30. Prayer  
meeting Thursday evening at 7:30.  
Subject, "Tribute to Caesar, and  
Tribute to God." A hearty invitation  
is extended to all. A. J. Whipkey,  
pastor.

**Methodist Episcopal.**  
The 24th Anniversary of the Meth-  
odist church of this place, and the  
8th Anniversary of the new edifice  
will be observed in an imposing and  
appropriate manner tomorrow.

Extensive preparations have been  
made and a fine program will be pre-  
sented at the morning hour 10:15  
o'clock.

The children of the Sunday school  
will have a large part in the program,  
and the pastor, Rev. Wesley C. Mead  
will make a short address.

The report of the Sunday school  
classes as well as the individual mem-  
bers of the church on the debt fund  
will be received with great interest.

The Epworth League will have  
a very interesting service at 6:45,  
when reports of the great District  
Convention held the past week at  
Moxongahela will be presented. The  
pastor will preach at 7:45 from the  
subject: "Gaining by Losing, and  
Losing by Gaining."

A cordial invitation is extended to  
all to unite with us in celebrating  
our Anniversary. Dr. W. G. Mead,  
pastor.

## Notice.

Bids will be received up to and in-  
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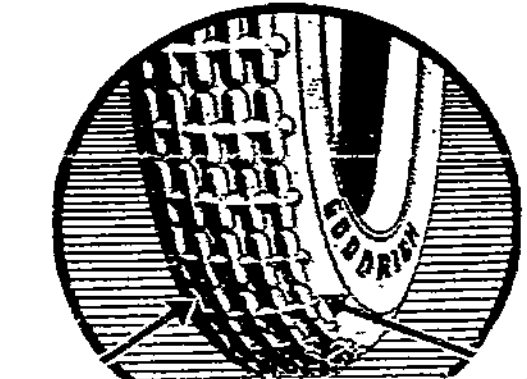
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### The Martyrdom of Belgium

A Neutral Kingdom Between the Upper and Nether Millstones.



HON. CHARLES F. SCOTT.

HON. CHARLES F. SCOTT as a representative of the state of Kansas recently delivered a shipload of don't to the Belgium sufferers. Mr. Scott as an ex-congressman carried with him the prestige of the American people and under the auspices of the New York and London relief commissions was given every possible opportunity to see for himself the condition of Belgium and her sufferings. He rode for a number of days through the lines of the allies, and because he was able to speak the German language a similar courtesy was extended to him by the German generals with whom for three days he rode through the German lines.

Mr. Scott will lecture at all the Redpath-Brockway Chautauquas during the coming season.

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Advance Sale Season Tickets, Adults, \$2.00.  
Advance Sale Season Tickets, Child's, \$1.00.

Love Letters in Her Coffin.  
The will of Miss Mary Ashton Wade of Yorkers, who died on January 11 at the age of seventy-four, was admitted to probate. Miss Louisa Bradford of 956 West End Avenue, Manhattan, a friend of Miss Wade, filed an affidavit, stating she had carried out the testator's dying wish that a certain sealed package among her effects should be buried with her.  
Gerrit Smith, the executor's counsel, said the mysterious package was supposed to contain love letters. The will disposed of an \$11,000 estate to relatives.—Yorkers (N. Y.) Dispatch to New York Sun.

### Ever Hit Thumb With a Hammer?

Here is a little device which you can make at home by which the uninitiated tack can be held without possibility of injury to the fingers. Take a strip of tin about three-quarters of an inch wide and about six or seven inches long. Shape it with a small slot in one end. Then double it, bending at the middle. When ready to insert the nail, put it into the slot, which will hold it by its head. This gives a kind of handle by means of which you can hold the nail perfectly upright while you hit it with the hammer. Of course the holder must be pulled away before the nail or tack has gone all the way into the wood. If you have not the tin at hand strong cardboard will serve the purpose. Try this little device just once and I am sure you will feel amply repaid for your trouble in making it, as it will prevent many a bruised finger.—Woman's Home Companion.

### A Short Memory.

Uncle Jed was a trifle slack about quitting the bottom when the levee broke, and had to take to a tree. Morning came, and there was sixty feet of Mississippi flood water between him and shore. The preacher happened along on the high ground and saw Jed, but there wasn't any boat. Moreover, Jed's suspicion that there were alligators about was well founded. The preacher brought Jed to swim, but in vain. Finally he called out: "Jed, have faith. Remember how Jonas was cared for in the whale and saved after three days." Jed spoke earnestly: "Yas, suh, I remember. I am denyin' nothin' 'bout Jonah, 'cause I wa'n't high um. But dis year alligator, he ain' no whale, suh. Alligator, he eat a nigger an' go off an' sleep a week, suh, an' disremember all 'bout dat nigger inside um!"

### HAD TO ALLOW THE PENSION

Statesman Did Not Understand Nature of Disease, So How Was Any Other Course Possible?

Representative Murray of Oklahoma and Col. C. C. Harris of Alabama, formerly an officer in the Confederate army, sat discussing a bill pending in the house committee on pensions. Harris is strongly opposed to most of the pension bills and Murray, on the other hand, is equally insistent that most of the bills should be passed. Some of Murray's arguments are unusual.

"Here's a man who has a disease that I can't even pronounce," said Harris, running his finger along a dotted line leading to the name of the ailment. "How am I to know he contracted such a disease as that in the army? Or that it amounts to anything?"

"That's just the point," declared Murray. "It's a disease that you and I know nothing about. We can't even pronounce it. Who are we to say that it isn't a serious disease? The man may have been incapacitated for years."

"I never thought of it in that way," admitted the ex-Confederate army officer. "I suppose we'll have to allow the pension."—Kansas City Star.

### SORROWS OF THE NEUTRAL

Small Nations, in the Present Conflict, Seem to Be Caught Between Two Fires.

The neutral is living in a world in which vexatious and costly inroads are constantly being made upon his means of subsistence. The responsibility for his losses lies between two marauding powers. Each of them indignantly repudiates all imputations of misbehavior and indignantly accuses the enemy. Each of them claims that the way to prevent any further marauding is to hand the keys of the storehouse to him and to lock out his opponent. Great Britain insists that Germany cannot have it both ways. Germany insists that Great Britain cannot have it both ways. The insistence of each that the other cannot have it both ways does not prevent both from seeking to have it both ways. The result upon the fate of the belligerent of this repudiation of all the rules remains to be seen, but its results on the fortune of the mere neutral is crystal clear. When a number of big belligerents are insisting upon having it both ways, the offensive and thrifty neutral is evidently doomed to get it both ways.—The New Republic.

### London Stock Exchange Seats.

It costs considerably more to become a member of the London stock exchange nowadays than in the days when its headquarters were at "Old Jonathan's," on Cornhill. Serving for four years as a stockbroker's clerk reduces the cost, but an outsider has to pay an entrance fee of 500 guineas and to find three members who for the ensuing four years will be responsible for the sum of £2,500 apiece, this being forfeitable in the event of the new member being "hammered" during the period. In addition, the candidate must buy three stock exchange shares, the present price of which is about \$350 per share, and he must purchase from some retiring member a nomination. This can now be bought for about \$250, although when nominations were first created the top price was \$2,500.

### British Parliament Elderly.

The British parliament is now composed of more elderly men than at any session in living memory. About two hundred members of the commons are with the forces either in the kingdom or abroad, and nearly one hundred and fifty peers keep them company. These 350 of the empire's lawmakers are naturally able-bodied men, and most of them can be counted as young. The elder members have done their part in giving their sons. Premier Asquith has three sons serving. Lloyd George and Bonar Law are among others who have made the same sacrifice. D. Ainsworth and Sir F. Bannister have both lost sons in action. Several M. P.'s have been killed.

### Peanut Industry Large.

Virginia still leads in the production of peanuts, with Oklahoma and Texas following. The last statistics show that there were 630,000 acres in the country planted to this product. Curiously enough, Marseilles, France, is the greatest peanut consumer in the world, owing to the use made of the nut in the production of oil, which substitutes to a great extent, for olive oil.

### SHOPPING AND BUYING

QUITE A DIFFERENCE BETWEEN THE TWO PROCEEDINGS.

One Way May Not Be Exactly as Interesting as the Other, but It Can Be Made Far More Satisfactory.

"Of all laziness!" Ellen Hills exclaimed. "Lying in a hammock, starting at the clock at nine o'clock in the morning? What couldn't I give to be a lady of luxury?"

"Is it any more luxurious to be lying in a hammock at nine o'clock in the morning than to be calling on your friends at the same hour?" Isabel Truett laughed, piling cushions into the most comfortable piazza chair.

"But I came on business—you might have known!"

"And I was working very hard, as you might have known!"

"Working!" Ellen scoffed, sinking into the cushioned chair. "I don't believe it!"

"But I was—I was trying to decide whether to get a black hat trimmed with blue or a black hat trimmed with black."

"But how can you tell before you look?" Ellen's eyes opened wide in amazement.

"I can tell what I am going to look for—and you generally see what you are looking for."

Ellen sat up with energy born of the situation.

"But, Isabel, that's absurd. You can't tell till you look round. I mean you miss all sorts of lovely suggestions, to say nothing of the time you spend thinking it all out beforehand."

"Do you like my blue velvet?"

"It's a beauty, and the most becoming thing I ever saw!" Ellen returned, generously.

"Well, I spent an hour thinking it out, color, design and trimmings. I went straight to Morgan's and asked for exactly those things—no others. Then I drew a sketch for the dressmaker. The whole thing, aside from the fittings, of course, took me less than three hours. I think I was 15 minutes buying the materials. It may have been 20. That's argument No. 1. How is your old rose coming on?"

Ellen flushed. "I took it in and changed it," she confessed. "I got gray, as I planned at first. I was afraid I'd get so tired of the old rose."

"But wasn't that a lovely suggestion you found by looking round?"

"But that is only a single example! It isn't fair to judge from one."

"How about your green parasol, and the blouse you went in town to exchange, and the hats you had altered, and the girdle you took back, and—"

"I cry mercy!" Ellen surrendered. "I know you save your time your way—heaps of it. And your clothes are more becoming. But if I sat down and thought it all out at once, cold-bloodedly, as you do, Isabel Truett, I shouldn't feel as if I were buying clothes at all!"

Isabel laughed up at her from the hammock. "That, my dear, is quite another question," she replied. "You'd be a Companion."

### How Bullets Travel.

That bullets neither whine, hiss, howl, hum, nor whisper, novelists to the contrary notwithstanding, is information given by Mr. Edward C. Crossman in *Outing*. With one possible exception—when in certain conditions of open country modern military bullets hit to those standing back of the firing line—nothing is audible except a sharp crash of air closing around the bullet's base when it travels at high speed. At a velocity of 1,500 feet a second, or more, the noise is "like nothing so much as a long and very violently cracked blacksnake whip." Those who stand far enough from the rifle hear the bullet's crack and later the dull thudding noise of the rifle itself, which has been outsped. Jack London makes a soldier hit at 600-yard range first hear the sound of the modern rifle and then feel the blow of the bullet. But the bullet would have killed him half a second before the sound from the rifle reached him.

### Three Woman Senators.

There are now three woman senators in the United States, since Miss Kathryn Clarke of Glendale was elected state senator at a special election in Oregon. She ran on the Democratic ticket against two men and won with a plurality slightly under one hundred votes. The other two woman senators are Mrs. Helen Ring Robinson of Colorado and Mrs. Frances Willard Munds of Arizona. Senator Munds presided over the Arizona senate recently during the consideration of a bill to amend the law relative to the fees and salaries of county officers. This is the first time in this country that a woman has presided over a legislative body.

### Dog Faithful to Pauper.

Charles L. Vanderpool, a wandering member of the Poole tribe, was found badly frozen and unconscious when picked up ten miles from Towanda and hurried to the posthouse, where he is at the point of death. Both ears, his nose, both feet, and both hands were frozen. Accompanied by his one-eyed dog, he had started over "the hills to the poorhouse," falling by the wayside. "D—n the booze!" was his first utterance upon being restored to consciousness. His dog remained faithful, and was lappling the face of the man when found.—Towanda (Pa.) Dispatch to Philadelphia Record.

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## CHARLEROI TO HAVE LARGE CARNIVAL WEEK OF JULY 5

"Dixieland" is the title of one of the very excellent shows that come to Charleroi under the management of Johnny J. Jones Exposition Shows. "Dixieland" is a real negro minstrel act which combine the charm of the old Southern melodies of decades ago with the thrill of the modern rag time nigger song. For harmony, the old southern darky such as go to compose the "Dixieland" minstrel, cannot be surpassed. It is born in him. It is the blood and of the climate and land that he knows as "home." "Dixieland" is one of the fifty big feature acts for which a nominal price of admission is charged by the Johnny J. Jones Exposition Shows. However, there are two big acts given complimentary to the public and these should certainly tempt you to visit the Exposition even if you are of the skeptical.

The free attractions appeal to your sentiment and artistic temperament. It is a series of band concerts by two bands, one of which is the famous Royal Italian band under the direction of that master Italian, Vitucci. A mammoth menagerie and trained wild animal circus must also be mentioned among these exceptionally good things of the Johnny J. Jones Exposition Shows. This wild animal circus is managed by Captain Curley Wilson, no relation to the President or the ambassador, just a Wilson.

That's all, who captured and tamed the animals shows. The animals are trained by Frank Levine the youngest successful animal trainer of today. His pet is the most ferocious animal of the collection an old lioness so wicked that all trainers have passed her by.

Other acts include Betty the alligator girl "Ten Shows in One" truly ones money's worth. "The Thrilling Trip to Mars," that makes a laugh as well as a thrill. Jolly Alma, 700 pounds and Princess Zada, 36 inches tall. Dakota Max Wild West Congress Dions Animal Show. Ish-ka-bibble, and other features too numerous to mention.

The above attractions are given under the auspices of the Moose Lodge and will hold forth one week commencing July 5, at 10 o'clock a. m.

## PERSONALS

Born--Ten pound son to Mr. and Mrs. Noah Jones, June 25 at their home in Bentleyville.

Miss Clara Pearson has returned from Monongahela where she has been visiting friends and attending the Epworth League convention.

Mrs. Joseph Riddle and Mrs. Joseph Shortall have gone to Oakmont being called there by the serious illness of a relative.

C. L. Nash of the Monessen News was a caller in Charleroi Saturday.

Harry E. Price has gone to West Middlesex to visit with relatives over Sunday.

Guy Nickeson of Pittsburg is spending some time at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Nickeson of this place.

Mrs. C. Geckie of Washington avenue is visiting with her daughter Mrs. Russell Spar of Coraopolis.

Mrs. Della Murdoch and nephew of Carmichaels are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. van Kelley of McKean avenue.

### PICNIC AND OUTING OF ST. JEROME'S IS SUCCESS

The annual outing and picnic held by St. Jerome's church at Eldora park Thursday was a success socially speaking. A good size crowd was present and enjoyable time was enjoyed by all present. A baby contest was held at seven o'clock and the judges decided in favor of Jack McKenna, James Murphy, Jr., and Alice Kelley. The judges were D. R. Duvall, George Hornbake and Rev. John Lyons.

Special Bread Prices.  
In order to introduce our bread to the people of Charleroi we will give special prices every day for the coming week. All 10 cent loaves 8 cents, 2 for 15 cents or 4 for 25 cents. We use nothing but the best materials in our bread and if you eat it once we feel sure you will be a regular customer. United Bakery, 639 Fallowfield avenue. 10-1f

Notice.  
Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted for in my name, other than those made by myself. Signed. Alex Rousseau. 6-16p

## RECEIVERS APPOINTED FOR MARIANNA CONCERN BY WASHINGTON COURT

A. F. Swearingen and John H. Jones were appointed temporary receivers by the Washington county court of the Jonnetta Foundry and Machine Co., of Marianna, a subsidiary of the Pittsburg-Buffalo Co., Monday, June 28, has been fixed as a time for a hearing to appoint permanent receivers.

It is set forth in the bill that the capital stock of the foundry company is \$500,000 all of which has been issued. The company owns a tract of land in Marianna borough on which is erected a large and commodious foundry and machine shop, equipped with valuable machinery. It is valued at \$125,000. The liabilities of the company, it is set out, are large, including a mortgage of \$850,000 given to secure bonds all of which have been issued.

Further, it is set out, that the company has a number of outstanding contracts, which will require it to continue its business and which when performed will, it is expected, yield a considerable profit. If these contracts are not permitted to be completed, it will mean considerable loss.

### LOCAL PASTOR TO PREACH AT UNION CHURCH SUNDAY

Rev. E. N. Dury, pastor of the First Christian church will preach at the Union church on the Monongahela road, near the Letherman Farm Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

### SUITABLE FOR HUMAN FOOD

Nourishing Plants and Even Insects Capable of Sustaining Life, at a Pinch.

According to some reports great ingenuity in the use of scientific knowledge in extracting food values from unusual sources is being employed. The Baltimore Star states. There are many articles good for human food and wholesome food at that, which under ordinary conditions are not drawn upon at all. There are the angle worm, the grasshopper and fully a score of plants not ordinarily used as food which, properly prepared, constitute nourishing foods. It is perhaps only the most desperate and resolute sort of appetite that would stand for the earth worm, but they have been eaten even by highly civilized people and when properly prepared are said to be not so bad. Why should we be squeamish about the angle worm when we eat the oyster, stomach, lungs and everything but the shell?

As to grasshoppers they were an ancient delicacy and are yet so regarded by many races who know what's what in the way of good things to eat. All the grasses that are eaten by animals have nourishing juices. Clover and green timothy possess a higher food quality than cabbage or potatoes. Boiled to tenderness they would prevent starvation. There have been famine periods when human beings have been obliged to eat field grasses and wild plant roots.

His Idea.  
Those angelic-looking little boys, with golden curls, are usually just like other boys; a fact often overlooked by female relatives and other adoring ladies. One of this cherubic brand of small boy came back from school the other day rather depressed because he had no nickname.  
"I spoke to the teacher about it," he vouchsafed, his big eyes opened wide, a mournful look about his angelic mouth. "I told her some nicknames that I'd like."  
"And what were the names?" inquired a rapturous maiden aunt.  
"Bunco Bill or The Slugger," replied the angelic one.

### The Wicked Printer.

Unobserved and unannounced the president of a church society entered the composing room of a newspaper just in time to hear these words issue from the mouth of the boss printer:

"Billy, go to the devil, and tell him to finish that 'murder' he began this morning. Then 'kill' William J. Bryan's youngest grandchild, and dump the 'Sweet Angel of Mercy' into the bellbox. Then make up that 'Naughty Parisian Actress' and lock up 'The Lady in Her Boudoir.'"

Horrified, the good woman fled and now her children wonder why they are not allowed to play with the printer's youngster.

### Offense Proved.

In Judge Pollard's court in St. Louis Mrs. Blanche sought the law of her husband for smiting her on the nose. "How did he strike you?" asked the judge. "show me." "All right," replied the lady, and forthwith she landed a terrific slap on the judge's features. "Enough," said the judge, and he fined the husband \$50.

### King George's Relatives.

King George V is related to nearly all the reigning houses of Europe, one exception being Austria-Hungary.

## FRANCIS JOSEPH VERY SPHY

Aged Emperor of Austria Equal to the Situation, Extreme Though It Must Be Admitted.

Francis Molnar, war correspondent in the Carpathians of Az Est, gives an interview with an officer of high rank, who had had an audience of Emperor Francis Joseph a few days previously in Vienna. The officer said:

"I spent half an hour in the working room of his majesty, and found him to be much more lively and agile than at any time during the last years when I saw him. During the audience the emperor walked up and down the room. He was always noted for his excellent memory, but what I saw in regard to this now was really marvelous. His majesty knows the name of the commander of every regiment, and even now is well informed as to changes taking place in commanders of brigades and regiments.

"He is informed every day as to the work being done by all the war material factories. On the table in his study lies an immense map with small flags indicating the position of the fighting forces.

"Cordial relations exist between his majesty and the heir apparent. The emperor sneaks highly of the young king speaks very highly of the young heir and is extremely proud and fond of him.

"His medical advisers do not willingly consent to his drives out, though he asks them daily to allow him to visit the wounded soldiers in the hospitals. The few visits he has paid to the hospitals have been small victories over the doctors."

### LAND FIGHTING NOT CLEAN

Sailors Objected to Work They Did Not Enjoy That Was a Necessary Part of Warfare Ashore.

The American troops who occupied Vera Cruz last year were the second body of our soldiers to enter the city within a century. When it was besieged in the Mexican war, Capt. Robert E. Lee, afterward the commander in chief of the Confederate army, was ordered to throw up breastworks to defend a battery manned by the jacksies of a man-of-war. Lee put the tars into the trenches, and soon had the dirt flying, but the sailors did not labor cheerfully. They resented having to shovel dirt, and their captain remonstrated openly with Lee.

"My men," he said, "do not want mud banks to hide behind; just let them get out and at the enemy."

But Lee would not listen, and the tars sweated away at the shoveling. Presently the Mexicans opened fire at the very point thus protected, and the sailors were glad to seek the shelter of the despised dirt. The ship's captain felt that he owed Lee an apology and made a handsome one.

"Well, Captain Lee," he stammered. "I reckon you were right. I suppose the dirt did save some of my boys from being killed or wounded, but you know we sailors have no use for dirt banks on shipboard. All we want is a clear deck and an open sea. The fact is, captain, I don't like this land fighting, anyway. It isn't clean."—Youth's Companion.

### New Naval Auxiliary.

The German soldier, we are informed, is strictly forbidden in these days of a diminishing food supply to make private levies upon poultry yards of conquered civil populations. Chicken and geese especially, for their eggs' sake, must be respected. Only one feathered creature, the carrier pigeon, is fair game. He is outside the law because he is under suspicion of being the enemy's messenger.

It was somewhere in northern France that an officer on his rounds came upon Private Beck, just relieved of sentry duty and in the act of plucking a stately goose. To a discreetly worded question as to the corpus delicti the soldier answered without the quiver of an eyelid:

"Your pardon, Lieutenant, that there's a carrier goose, sir."

### Tabloid Aeroplanes.

The British reason, quite logically, that the smaller the aeroplane and the faster it can fly the less danger of its being hit by shots fired from earth. So the British airmen favor an unusually small machine, which they call the "tabloid." A very light frame is fitted with an 80-horsepower motor, which will drive the frail machine through the air at the rate of 100 miles an hour. The engine is covered with armor. The aviator seeking to drop a bomb on the enemy approaches his target at a height of 5,000 feet. When straight above it, he turns the nose of his machine straight down and drops at terrific speed. When within 500 feet of the target he drops his bombs as quickly as possible and then shoots skyward at a tremendous pace.—American Boy.

### Division of Coal Consumption.

Of the 510,000,000 tons of coal consumed in America in 1914, 158,000,000 tons were used to generate industrial power, 184,000,000 were consumed in our homes and offices for cooking and heating; 97,000,000 were burned in the boilers of locomotives and steamboats, while the remaining 71,000,000 tons were consumed in our coke and gas plants.

### Old Tree Dead.

One of the oldest trees in America, at Ravenna Park, Seattle, Wash., is dead. It is a fir tree 180 feet tall with a diameter of 20 feet and a circumference of 58 feet. It is supposed to be eighteen hundred or two thousand years old.

## "THE AVENGING CONSCIENCE" AT THE COYLE WEDNESDAY

"The Avenging Conscience" founded on Edgar Allen Poe's, "The Tell-Tale Heart," and "Poems of the Affections" comes to the Coyle Theatre next Wednesday. Judging from the critics of the Pittsburg papers "The Avenging Conscience" which has been running at the Miles Theatre at twenty five and fifty cent prices on its arrival in Charleroi next Wednesday will be a welcome visitor. So that every one can see this production Mr. Coyle stated there would be no advance in prices.

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